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In re U.S. Patent Application of )  
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Application Number: 10/770,479 ) **Art Unit 2825**  
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CIRCUIT DESIGN METHOD AND )  
HARDWARE DESCRIPTION GENERATION )  
METHOD TO GENERATE HARDWARE )  
BEHAVIOR DESCRIPTION OF INTEGRATED )  
CIRCUIT )  
Attorney Docket No. NITT.0189 )

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicants request that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for **one (1) month**. The fee set in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for the extension of time is **\$120.00**.

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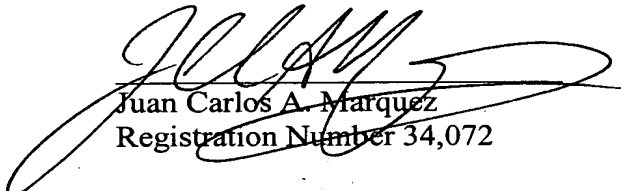
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